In re application of

Divisional Application of USSN: 09/858,723

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For:

METHOD OF PREPARING PYRROLOTRIAZIN-4-ONE COMPOUND AND METHOD OF PREPARING ISOTHIOCYANATOFORMIC ACID ESTER DERIVATIVE THAT IS A REACTANT USED FOR PREPARING PYRROLOTRIAZIN-4-ONE COMPOUND

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This is a divisional of Application No. 09/858,723 filed May 17, 2001; the disclosure of

which is incorporated herein by reference.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-8 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claims: